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SUBJECT: U.S. POLICY DECISION ON HORN OF AFRICA

REF: (A) STATE 49635, (B) CAIRO 6472

1. WAS ABLE TODAY TO BRIEF SADAT ON U.S. POLICY DECISION RE HORN OF AFRICA CITED REF A. AFTER I HAD MENTIONED POINTS A THROUGH C OF PARA 2, SADAT RECALLED THAT HE HAD SEVERAL MONTHS AGO ASKED WHAT OUR VIEW ON ARM SHIPMENTMA WOULD BE IF INTERNATIHFALLY RECOGNIZED SOMALI TERRITORY WERE ATTACKED BY THE ETHIOPIANS. HE HAD NEVER RECEIVED AN ANSWER. IN VIEW OF HIS QUESTION, I ALSO GAVE HIM POINT 2-D OF REF A.

2. SADAT LISTENED ATTENTIVELY, BUT MADE NO COMMENT. HE SEEMED PLEASED ABOUT THE PRESIDENT'S POLICY DECISION.

3. VP MUBARAK, PRIMIN SALEM AND FONMIN KAMEL WERE ALL PRESENT WHEN I BRIEFED SADAT. EILTS

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